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For:

AN ACID BATH FOR THE ELECTRODEPOSITION OF GLOSSY GOLD AND GOLD ALLOY LAYERS

AND A GLOSS ADDITIVE FOR SAME

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/E0/US)

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371, mailed February

27, 2002, Applicants file herewith the following documents relating to the above-identified application:

- A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements; (1)
- Executed Declaration/Power of Attorney; (2)
- Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet and Executed Assignment; (3)
- Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449 and cited document; and (4)
- A check in the amount of \$170.00 to cover the surcharge fee and assignment (5) recordation fee.

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